

dingly reported said bill; which being read the first time, was, on motion of Mr. Dorsey, read the second time by a special order, passed without amendment, and sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Mr. Gantt, from the select committee appointed on leave granted for the purpose, reported a bill entitled, an act to continue in force the acts of Assembly which would expire with the present session; which being read the first time, was, on motion of Mr. Gantt, read the second time by a special order, passed without amendment, and sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Mr. Buskirk, from the Committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to which the subject had been referred, reported a bill, entitled, an act for the benefit of Lucy Ann Bryan, and James Jones, and Ann Jones, his wife, of Prince George's county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Buskirk, from the same committee, to which had been referred the memorial of the Constables and Bailiffs in the City of Baltimore, praying for the passage of a law, declaratory of the fees they may be entitled to receive on the appraisement and sale of goods and chattels distrained for rent, (presented to the House on the 30th ultimo,) made, verbally, an unfavorable report thereon. And the said committee was discharged from the further consideration thereof.

Mr. Buskirk, from the same committee, to which had been referred the petition of Samuel Graham, of Anne Arundel County, praying to be remunerated for the loss sustained by him on account of his slave, (who was tried and convicted for the crime of burglary,) having been sentenced to confinement in the Penitentiary for seven years, contrary to the act of Assembly, in such case provided, (presented to the House on the 6th inst.) made, verbally, an unfavorable report thereon. And the said committee was discharged from the further consideration thereof.

Mr. Nicholas, from the select committee, to which were referred, respectively, the bills from the Senate, entitled,

An Act to continue the act passed at December session, 1813, entitled, an act to incorporate the Patapsco Insurance Company, and an act to authorise the leasing of certain property in Baltimore county—reported verbally, that the said committees, having considered said bills, were of the opinion they ought to pass without amendment.

The said bills were then severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.